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In re Patent Application of:	) Group Art Unit: 2814
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Application No. <b>10/684,939</b>	)
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For: SOLID-STATE IMAGING DEVICE AND	)
CONTROL METHOD FOR SAME	)

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**RESPONSE TO SEPTEMBER 7, 2010 FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed September 7, 2010. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application in view of this amendment and remarks herein.